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January 31, 1990



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Dear Mr. Braxton:

Subject: Request for Extension of Submittal of Form MR-AR

Because of the time involved in producing and reproducing the 1989 Distrubance maps and updated Surface maps, Barrick is requesting an extension of submittal of Form MR-AR, Annual Report of Mining Operations, until March 31, 1990. We feel this extension will allow us adequate time to prepare sufficient material for a complete annual report.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. Please contact me at extension 335 should you have any questions concerning this submittal.

Respectfully,

David P. Beatty

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